## CANADA OUGHT TO COME IN.

GOLDWIN SMITH ON ANNEXATION.

REASONS WHY THE DOMINION SHOULD BECOME

PART OF THE UNITED STATES. Goldwin Smith, of Toronto, the president of the Continental Union, who for years has advocated the annexation of the Dominion of Canada to the United States, says that the farmers and the working people of his country are more strongly in favor of annexation than they ever were before, despite the fact that Sir Charles Tupper has said that nine-tenths of the people of Canada are opposed to annexation. Mr. Smith declares that the sentiment favoring it is increasing, and that the masses of the people are hop-ing for a union with this country. The Confinental Union, which is an organization working in the interest an agent of Dr. Parkhurst's society, is accused of of annexation, he says, is increasing in strength and trying to extort money from Mrs. Lillie Clifton, of numbers, and will some day become a power in the No. 156 West Fifty-third st., the keeper of a dis

but the masses want as close relations with the the defence. United States as can be had. The former and the workingman of Canada a few years ago did not know what benefits could be derived from a union with this country, but now they know that it would be for their benefit. In order to gain prosperity for Canada there must be closer relations with the United bintes. Canada is analously awaiting to see what the attitude of Mr. Cleveland and his Administration will be toward Canada. The people who are opposed to annexation are in favor of closer relations with the United States because they know the benefits of such relations, and they, as well as the farmers and the rest of the masses, are anxious to know what Mr. Cleveland's policy will be. My argament is that If close relations of any kind will do good, closer reations or annexation will do still more good.

"The United States ought not to feel timid about taking Canada. Some of the public men on this aide have made the assertion that it would entirely upset the political situation here, and that it would result in a great shock. That is an errone sus im pression. The annexation of Canada weald have more political effect in the United states than the admission of Montana had. The vote of the Dominion would not be thrown one way or the Madison-ave.; Edwart Elchards, plumber, No. 405 so equally divided, in my opinion, between the Democratic and Republican party that the annexacomplexion of this country.

"The Dominion of Canada certainly ought to be

desirable acquisition to the United States. It would Increuse its using interests, would end the Behring Sea controversy, would give the United States more waterways, and would give it a country rich in waterways, and would give it a country rich in mineral wealth. As Canada is a poor country it cannot afford to develop its rich immes, what it wants is a country like the United States to make it rich in every way. We have some of the best farming lands in the world, and immigration is what we want. But if immigration were stopped here it would not come to us. Canada would simply be used as a back deor, and immigrants would cross the border, no matter what the laws were. If Canada were part of the United States inducements in the Dominion could be provided so that a good class of imprigrants would remain. Canada, however, is destined to become part of the United States. She must have close relations with the United States, and annexation is the proper way to bring about those innexation is the proper way to bring about those

NO TROUBLE IN THE COAL COMPANY.

DENIAL OF THE REPORT THAT THERE IS FRIC-TION BETWEEN MR. PLATT AND THE DIRECTORS.

Many reports have been circulated recently in Wall Street that there was trouble in the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company, and that in the next election II. De Bardelaben would succeed Thomas C. Platt as president. Mr. De Bardelaben is one of the largest stockholders in the company. Spaking yesterday of the situation he said: "I have seen several articles in the newspapers lately that give the impression that there is some ill feeling between Mr. Platt and the Southern owners of the company, which is not a fact. We have getten along harmoniously and I am now doing part of Mr. Platt's duties as president at the works at his suggestion and his approval, he being too busy to attend to all the details. He has always acted in a square and gentlemanly manner in everything consumptions. nected with the Termessee Coal and Iron Company ver since we have been acquainted. Positively there is no feeling adverse to Mr. Platt on my part, and I can say the same for all the Southern people interested in the concern. As to the next election, we at the th have not given it any thought. It does not take place until April. Regarding the question as to who will be the next president that just depends upon who holds the stock and wants the office on the day of the election. I do not care perticularly for the office, as I have too much other business to attend to."

Mr. Platt said yesterday that there was entire good feeling in the company and that he was not responsible for any of the contrary reports.

NO MORE GOLD ENGAGED.

There will be only \$1,500,000 in gold exported to--Treasury through fear that the department might be closed yesterday out of respect for the memory of Mr. Blaine. No such order was issued, however, and the exporters had an opportunity to withdraw more of the yellow metal had there been any demand for it. The supply of gold has been exhausted, and consequently the exporters will have a considerable margin of profit on day's shipments owing to the fact that the coins are to-day's supments owing to the first that the coins and unworn, and therefore are heavier than usual. At present it seems likely that the shipments on Saturday, if any, will be small.

AN INSURANCE COMPANY'S ANNUAL STATEMENT.

The annual statement of the Aetna Life Insurance Company, which appears in to-day's paner, indicates that the year 1892 has been an unusually successful one. The Actna's previous statements have shown activity in management, but the results of the last year have been unusually favorable. While its business has been so materially increased, its percentage of expenses is less than one-quarter of 1 per cent over previous year. It made a gain in membership of 3,523; in surplus of \$63,030 40; in premium in-come of \$319,230 01; in assets of \$1,278,290 02; in new business over the previous year, \$2,100,802 30; is insurance in ferce, \$7,571,248 94.

THE TAX DEPARTMENT WANTS NEW QUARTERS. The Tax Department is looking for new quarters It having been decided to remove from "The Zeitung" Building on May 1. Colonel Shepard is anxious to have the department for one of his tenants in his new "Mail and Express" Building, Fulton-st. and Broadway, and on Saturday President Barker and Commissioner Clausen, by his invitation, made a visit of inspection to the Colonel's new building. They asked the Colonel's business manager what the rent of one of the floors was.

You can have it at your own price, gentlemen the Colonel says," was the answer.
Yesferday President Barker received the plans of
the floor spoken of from Colonel shepard.

TO ENDOW A CHAIR AT VASSAR COLLEGE.

Miss Helen Dawes Brown delivered a lecture on George William Curtis yesterday afternoon in rooms of Miss Annie brown's school for girls, No. 715 Fifth-ave. The entertainment was given under the auspices of some of the alumnae of Vassar College, and was for the benefit of the Maria Mitchell Endowment Fund. About \$18,000 was still needed to com plete the fund started by Maria Mitchell to make the department of astronomy at Vassar independent, and the proceeds of yesterday's lecture will reduce hat amount by about \$250. The schoolrooms were well filled with pupils of the school, Vassar aluminae and a number of prominent New-York society women.

WRS LELAND SENT TO THE PENITENTIARY. Mrs. Sarah C. Leland, of No. 56 West Thirtyfourth-st., who has run large boarding-houses and has conducted other business enterprises, was sentenced to the pentientiary for a year and a half by in General Sessions yesterday. was convicted of stealing diamonds worth \$375 from Miss Elizabeth A. Dalley, of No. 135 West Forty-

first-st., in February, 1888. Miss Dailey fell on the

This is supposed to be an age of enlightenment. Yet he half civilized persistence with which hosts of people seep dosing themselves on small occasion, argues a blind redultry characteristic of the dark ages. Constipation myriad of alleged curatives, which in a nauscour dose merely evacuate the bowels-this operation being preceded by pain and followed by weakness—the latter an effect of their excessive, violent action. Podyphyllin, aloes, gamboge embodied in the form of pills, bluemass, colomei-these are among the violent medicaments for which should be substituted Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the finest, most genial laxutive extant, never griping, and sembling in its action an effort of nature in her hap-est mood. This benign and thorough medicine is also antidote to malaria and rheumatism, gives strength to

ice and injured herself severely. When she was brought home Mrs. Leland, who was associated with her in business, undressed her and took the gema from the pocket of her skirt.

GARDNERS TRIAL BEGUN.

ACCUSED OF TRYING TO EXTORT MONEY.

THE CASE MAY BE A CONTINUANCE OF THE CON-TROVERSY BETWEEN DR. PARKHURST

AND MR. BYRNES. The trief of Charles W. Gardner, which was begun before Recorder Smyth in Part I of General Sessions yesterday, promises to be a continuance of the controversy between the Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst and Superintendent Byr.e.. The defendant, who was "The arti-tocracy and the wealthy people are op-posed to any change in government," said Mr. smith.
"but the masses what as close well and Mr. smith."

"The arti-tocracy and the wealthy people are op-man and Osborne are conducting the prosecution, and W. Travers Jerome, John W. Gott and Frank M.



CHARLES W. GARDNER.

Yesterday was spent in securing nine jurors, These were: Frank Bird, painter, at No. 136 West Sixtyseventh-st.; Heary W. Bolles, Jeweller, No. 2 4 B ord-way; Andrew Halladay, harness maker, No. 1,506 other. The votes of citizens from the province are Fifth-ave.; Charles H. Heartfield, paints, No. 378 Canal st.: Russell R. Cornell, paper, Duane st. and West Broadway: Thomas M. Sanderson, grocer, No. tion of the Domitten world not change the pontical 55 Lewis-st.; William J. Willett, printer, No. 1,000 Park-ave., and William Dilam, florist, No. 64 West



MRS. GARDNER.

Mr. Wellman asked all the talesmen if they were members of Dr. Parkburst's society, City Reform emplorily.

One talesman was asked if he was engaged in the Mquor business. "No, thank the Lord," he said

"Have you any relatives who are?"
"No, thank the Lord," came the reply again, and wery one smiled.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF ACTIVITY.

The Harlem branch of the Young Men's Christian Association completed the work of its first quarter of a century of activity and celebrated its twenty-fifth a century last night, Association Hull, at No. 5 West One-hundred-and-twenty-fifth-st., was filled with the friends of the association. The Rev. Dr. Hershaw read the Scripture lesson and Stephen H. Burr, who was the first chairman of the branch, offered the prayer. William II. Sage, the present chairman, and Van De Water made addresses. F. G. Banister, the secretary of the annual report. Carl E. Dufft and Miss Bentrice Old field pleased the audience with their vocal and instrufield pleased the audience with their vocal and instru-mental music. The annual report contained among other statements the following: "There were made to the Association rooms in the last year 117,600 visits. The total membership of the branch is 1,017, which is a marked increase over last year. The average age of the membership is twenty-two years. The Board of Directors of the main association offered the Harlem branch \$25,000 if a similar sum would be raised by the branch to pay toward the mortgaged indebtedness. According to the terms of the offer, the money must be raised before February 1, 1803. It was reported last night that the money was raised.

COLONEL HAYES'S NEW TRIAL

Judge Martine, in Prot 11 of General Sessions, yes terday set the re-trial of Colonel W. B. Hayes for The jury in the first trial perjury for Thursday. disagreed. W. F. Howe, for the defence, tried to secure a longer adjournment on account of the illness

for an acquittal in the case, has lost his position with the New-York Belting and Packing Company. was one of their city salesmen. An officer of the was one of their types of the company said that Alcoit was engaged for one year from February, 1892. He and the concern could not agree on terms for another year, so he left its employ. This was settled before the Hayes trial was began.

AN ATTRACTIVE STEAMSHIP GUIDE.

handsomely printed, neatly arranged and attractive has been issued by the company. A Maluable map is inclosed with the pamphlet. This guide gives a great deal of information of value to people who desire to go South. This company, whose steamships leave New-York from Piers 20 and 21, East River, has three routes; th following route, by which stramships sail on Wednesday and Saturday by way of Key West; the Florida route, by and Saturday by way of the Maine route, for which the day of sailing is Saturday. With its fleet of eleven iron steamships, this line is remarkably well equipped for freight transportation and passenger travel. The general agents are C. H. Mailory & Co., Pier 20, East River, and No. 302 Broadway.

THE COMMISSIONERS' CASE ADJOURNED. Dr. Henry S. Williams was the only witness before Commissioner Shields yesterday in the hearing in the case of Edward C. Sheehy and Charles E. Simmons, Commissioners of Charities and Correction, who are accused of abetting the illegal registration of paupers. Dr. Williams was throughout last year medical superintendent of Randall's Island. In October, in accordance with the order of the Board of Charitles, he transferred the names of thirty-three inmates of the institution to the list of unsalaried employes. H. D. Hotchkiss, for the defence, asked if he was not a Republican. Assistant United States Attorney Baker objected to this question, saying that politics should be kept out of the case. Dr. Williams, however, answered that he had not voted six years. Mr. Hotchkiss then wanted to know if the witness had not supplied the Federal authorities with the information on which the prosecution was based. Dr. Williams indignantly denied this. It seems that he lost his position because he was suspected of giving to the United States Attorney the facts about the order of the board. The hearing was adjourned until Monday.

INSURANCE RATES NOT RAISED VET The New York Board of Underwriters yesterday met at No. 32 Nassan-st. to take action on the reques of the committee appointed by Mayor Boody, of Brooklyn, that action on the question of enforcing the raise of 25 per cent in insurance rates in that city be delayed, pending an investigation of the Fire Department. Benont Lockwood presided. A committee reported in favor of a delay of thirty days, and proposed some suggestions for improving the Fire Department. After some discussion the enforcing of the increase was suspended for sixty days, though not without opposition. At first votes to carry this proposition at all were lacking, but personal appeals to some members finally induced a majority to favor the suspension. HELD FOR THE GRAND JUEY.

THE CHARGE OF FORGING A CHECK

FOR \$80,000.

Chicago to get some money rather than to attempt to raise funds on so large a check in a strenge place.

James G. Baldwin, cashler of the Merchants' Na-46. M. NISCETT AND D. E. TURGIS TO ANSWER | tional frank, who was the next witness, sail that he had received the check last Tuesday, with asking that the check be puid as "James Woodward" was not able to present it in person. The indorse-E. Sturcis, on the charge of forging the Royal Insurance ment of the names of the officers of the company, The examination of George M. Ni bett and Dawes

Company's check for \$-0,000, took place in the Tombs
Court yesterday morning. Few new facts were brought
out in the course of the hearing. Nisbett, who was As shown by Edward F. Beddall, manager of the accused on Saturday of forging the names to the cleck, company, the check number 26,457 was the last one



had secured counsel yesterday, Joseph Moss appearing | drawn, up to the time of the discovery of the forget for him. Ex Judge Killbreth was present to represent Sturgi. bank in the presecution. advised the young man to telegraph to his home in

Mr. Bedfall said on cross-examination by exelmott. Mr. Le Roche, of No. do William-st., rep | Judge Kilbreth that he had received the first information of the existence of a check for \$80,000 from resented the bank in the prosecution. A. tion of the existence of a cheek in the prosecution. A. Stargis, who had come to the office accompanied by D. Lausing, of Albany, the agent for the Royal Stargis, who had come to the office accompanied by D. Lausing, of Albany, the agent for the Royal his father, Appleton Sturgis. Mr. Beddall then toll of the confession made by Nishett when accused of the forzery.

Letective Rogers, when on the stand, testified that sturgly had game to be domination, and given belonger

to the hotel clerk of the capital, and of its out value in telephorfing to this city to learn if the check were all right, sturgls, he suid, had told him that the check had been given to him in payment for the less of his uncle's life. Mr. Landing testified that he had advised the young man to telegraph to his home in the Grand Jury.

Forty third Street Methodist Caurell, 264 all

841; First Reformed Episcopal Church, 851;

Dominick & Haff, \$50; St. Paul's M. Boolist Church

HARRIS NOT RESENTENCED.

DISTRICT-ATTORNEY NICOLL NOT READY THE RECORDER ADJOURNS THE SUBJECT OF

A MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL.

Crowds flocked in front of the General Sessions oullding yesterday morning to get a glimpse of Carlyle W. Harris, who it was wrongly thought was to be resentenced. He was not brought from the Tombs, however, for his case came up before Recorder Smyth on a legal point alone. District-At torney Nicoll announced that as he had not been served with the affinities of the defence until last Friday he was not yet ready to reply to them. He would have the answering affidavits ready in a few days. The Recorder adjourned the whole subject of a

motion for a new trial until next Monlay, directing William F. Howe to serve Mr. Nic II not later than Thursday with any additional afficients that he

might wish to present. Recorder Smyth is receiving many letterpatches and calls from persons who want him to grant Harris a new trial. Vesterday morning a telegrain ras handed to him which read: "Don't resentence Harris until you hear from me." It was signed "A. H. Van Baren." In the afternoon the follow ing note was hunded to the Recorder while he was the bench: "I am the gentleman who telegraph : con this morning in reference to the Carlyle Harris May I ask when I can see you!" This was also signed "A. B. Van Euren," The writer of these messages stood at the bar and Recorder smyth sold bim sharply: "Dan't you know that you are guilty of an impropriety in trying to confer with a judge about a case that is undecided."

Mr. Van Buren turned and left the courtroom

Of course Governor Flower is the one to whom to address appeals for elemency. Mr. Hawe will no doubt plead for a new trial on legal grounds as effect ually as those who write to the Recorder,

forming a syndicate which will be known as the National Saw Company. It is said that the firms who will enter the syndicate are the Elebardison Brothers caw Company, of Newark; Wheeler, Madden & Clemson, of Middletown; Woodson & McParlin, of confirt. A Clemson, of Middle (Limited), of Brooklyn. All of the preliminaries been arranged, and in a few days the new company will Issue its stock for the stock of the concern which it nisorbs. talized at \$3,000,000. A Tribune reporter called at the offices of the

Harvey W. Peace Company, in Keep'st., Brooklyn. and of the National Saw Company, No. 96 Reede st. resterday, but the officers of both concerns were reticent, and declined to give any information at An officer of the National Company said the details would be reade public in a few days, The Richardson Brothers' Company is probably the The Hohardson Broners catering the new syndicate, and was incorporated about two years ago with a capital of \$400,000. It is understood that Hamilton Disston, of Philadelphia, is largely interested in this concern, which would lead to the belief that his firm, which is the most important saw manufacturing company in the country, is not opposed to the new combination.

IMPORTANT ELECTRIC RAILROAD PATENTS. A dispatch published in The Tribune vesterday from springfield, Ohio, said that O. S. Kelly, of that city has sold what are known as the Green patents on eletric rallways to the General Electric Company o New-York City for a large sum of money. patents in question are those granted to George P. Green, of Kalamazoo, Mich., and assigned to Mr. Kelly, who is a millionaire manufacturer of Springfield, Frederick P. Fish, the patent counsel of the united Thomson-Houston and Edison companies, wher sked about the patents yesterday, said;

"We have made an arrangement, the terms of which have not been definitely settled, with Mr. Kelly, as the owner of these patents, by which our company and all our customers are to be protected. We did not think it safe to go on with these claims outstanding and so made this arrangement. It is not exactly a purchase, but insures protection under the putents oall our customers, so that in the case of the putents being illigated subsequently we and our customers will not be affected."

TRANSATLANTIC TRAVELLERS.

Among the passengers arriving on the French teamship La Gascogne from Havre yesterday Count Baymond de Pelet, the Rev. Fathers Leonard and Jacques, H. W. Cannon, Senator Jones, C. L. Coleman and T. H. Hubbard.

Hamburg-American steamship Puerst Remarck had among her passengers Dr. T. Edward Clark, G. de Buyn, Cesar Maller, C. H. S. Schultz, Charles A. Kulght and Gerhard von der Herberg.

MORE MONEY FOR THE HOSPITALS Charles Lanlet, of No. 17 Nassan-st., general treas

urer of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Associat resterday reported the receipt of the following addi-tional contributions: Macison Avenue Methodist Church, \$323; Steinway & Son's Employes, New-York and Astoria, \$116.30; Temple Israel, of Harlem, 8113 56; China and Glassware Trade (G. D. Felter), \$105; American Bank Note Company, the Bradstreet

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841; First Referenced Epheropal Church, 851; John Street Methodist Church, and Purne Methodist Church each 830; R. J. Herner & Co. and employee, 823-25 Charles Head & Co., Colhin & Stanton, E. P. Glenson Mannfacturing Co., and James Lonn-berry, each \$25 stern, Falk & Co., \$20; F. Herzig & Co. and employee, 813; Hölmes Brothers, and Moravian Church, Lexington ave., each \$12; Ladd & Collin, Thomas Nelson & Sons, Howard Mansfeld, John Penjamin, Abendroth & Reot Manefecturing Company, and Swartz, Jerkowski & Co., each \$19. THE RESERVOIR DOG ESCAPES. HE FLUDET HIS PURSUERS AND GOES THROUGH

A HOLE IN THE PENCE-NOTES FROM THE MENAGERIE

The dog that has since Friday last made his home n the herestered reservoir in contrat their was still there yesterday morning, and a number of men. women and children went to look at him. He sa chelty on the Pe, now and then tiking a romp ground, just to keep tomself worm. Sime of the owing to the rise and full of the water, but beyond that it is promably over a foot thick. The men got over signt in the namide. Search was made, but no trace of him could be found up to nightlad.

In the Menagerie Miss Murphy, who is expected of the the the family of hipping thank soon, was transferred from the tank which she has sour d with Calipbinto the one occupied by her daughter, Fatism. The reunion of mother and daughter was unnecompended by any scenes of wild delignt, and to the suddenly Miss Murphy opened her jaws and made a rush for her daugater, who retreated harriefly into termined to consolidate their interests and are now forming a syndicate which will be known as the National saw Company. It is said that the firms who will enter the syndicate are the Richard.

NEWS FROM THE " BLACK REPUBLIC."

The steamship Alvena, of the Atlas Line, which a merciant in this city which gave an accou The letter said that Hippolyte had soldiers at the polls, and that those who were opposed to him were not allowed to vote. Just before the election the enders of the opposition were arrested. All the jalls were crowded with political prisoners. After the election most of these prisoners were releases with a few cautionary words.

DEATH OF ELLANOR DOUGHTY'S CHILD.

The child of Eleanor Doughty died at the home of adoptive mother, Mrs. May Bradford, No 181 West Sixty third-st., at midnight The child's case aroused considera interest last fail, when Miss Doughty secured a writ of habous corpus in proceedings to compel Mrs. Bradford to surrender the child. Mis-Doughty alleged that S. S. Vreeland, of No. 150 Nassaust, was the father of the child. weeks after it was born, she said, she had been induced to let Mrs. Bradford have it by Vreeland and Drs. Shaw and Sweeney, of No. 147 Greenwich st. She said that she feared that Vreeland and Mrs. Brad-ford would take its life. The case was sent to James J. Nealis, as referse, who has made no report. A coroner's inquest will probably be held.

A LOVING CUP GIVEN TO PAUL B. DU CHAILLU A silver leving cup was presented to Paul B, du Chaillu yesterday afterfioon, at a reception given by the officers and members of the council of the Amer can Geographical society, at the clubhouse in West Twenty-ninth-st. On the cup was the inscription Presented to Paul B. du Chaillu by the officers and embers of the council of the American Geographical ociety, on the twenty fifth nuntversary of his return from Africa after discovering the gorilla, the pyg mies and the great equatorial forest of that country."

Ex-Chief Justice Charles P. Daly presented the cup to Mr. du Chaillu and made a few remarks on the life and discoveries of the great explorer. Some of those invited, most of them were present at the reception, were George W. Childs, the Rev. Dr. Tiffany, General Biele, D. O. Mills, Morris K. Jessup, Francis M. Racou, William T. Hamilton, William Remsen, Processor William Ibbbey, Jr., W. H. H. Moore, Chandler Robbins, John A. Hadden, Clarence King, Henry Holt, Gustave E. Kissel, orlando B. Potter, Levi Robrook, James M. Balley, Walter P. Jones, I. Bernheimer, L. P. Hall and A. J. Drexel, ies and the great equatorial forest of that country

MRS. LECK CONVICTED OF ABBUCTION.

The jury in Part II of General Sessions yesterday onvicted Mrs. Rosanna Leck of abduction after de-therating fifteen infinites. The woman and Jacob torms, of Yorkers, were jointly indicted for the abaction of Ivy Roche, fifteen years old. Assistant District Attorney Wellman prosecuted the woman, and scob Berlinger defended her. The trial was before Judge Martine.

In the morning Mrs. Leck testified in her own schaif. She pretended to know nothing of the relations of the young girl and storms. In the cross dicted herself hadly, the is an Englishwoman, thirty-four years old. Mr. Herlinger made Ivy Roche's confessed shortenings his strongest point in addressing the jury. Mrs. Leck may be sentenced to five years' imprisonment. xamination she was much confused and contra

COAL AND IRON OFFICERS RE-ELECTED. The stockholders of the Southeastern Coal and Iron

company held their annual meeting at their offices, No. 33 Wall-st., at noon yesterday. The board directors and all the officers of the company were re-elected ananimously. These are C. Lawrence Perkins. president; T. G. Condon, first vice-president, and general manager; W. R. Varker, second vice-president R. P. Perkins, secretary and Treasurer; and directors C. Lawence Perkins, Treadwell Cleaveland, Sheppare Gandy, R. P. Ferkins, T. G. Condon, W. R. Varker and J. B. Glichrist. The president's annual report was satisfactory to the THE COURTS.

A TWEED RING SUIT DISCONTINUED. Judge Farrett has discontinued an action brought in 1875 by the People of New-York against John J. Walsh, one of the Tweed ring. Walsh was one of the \$13,000,000 Courthouse Commissioners, and

the action was one of those known as the "ring saits." A lis pendens was filed against Walsh's property in Kings County in the spring of 1875, but no proceedings have been taken since. Walsh recently tried to sell his interest in the property in Kings County for \$3,750, but found that he could not give a clear title. He thereupon moved to cancel the lis pendens, citing in his motion papers a letter written by Mor gan J. O'Brien, as Corporation Counsel, to Mayor Hewlit recommending a discontinuance of all the "ring suits," because the defendants had no substantial property on which to realize, and because the hill-gation would involve a large expense.

ONE SET OF EXECUTORS OPPOSING ANOTHER. Judge Earrett yesterday listened to argument on a motion to vacate an order of the court allowing on extension of time to the executors of Mrs. Fayerweather, wife of Daniel B. Fayerweather, in which to put in an amended complaint in their action gainst the executors under the will of Mr. Fayerweather, several extensions of time have been granted. John E. Parsons and C. N. Bovee argued for the motion on the ground that the serious charges made against Thomas G. Ritch and Henry E. Vanghan, executors, should not be allowed to hang over them for a lenger time. William Bialkie opposed the motion, He said that no injury would be done by a little delay, as no money was tied up, and that he was doing his best to bring the case to trial as soon as

The action was brought by John B. Reynolds and Morris B. Leardsley as executors of the will of Mrs. Fayerweather to continue proceedings begun by Mrs. Fayerweather just before her death in July, 1892, set aside certain clauses in her husband's will, in cluding that providing that the residuary estate be given to the executors to dispose of, and also the need of girl by which the executors divided several million dollars among certain schools and hospitals. It is also sought to set aside the release which Mrs. Layerweather signed when the contest over the will was settled by compromise. The ground for the action is allered maken hitmence and fraud on the part of the executors, especially Mr. Ritch.

THE DAVIDSON AARONS SUIT TO BE TRIED.

The suit brought by ex-sheriff Alexander V. Davidson against ex-Under Sheriff Alexander V. Davidson against Metropolitan Museum of Art, appellant; argued.

In the matter of the estate of Catherine Wolfe, to International Museum of Art, appellant; argued.

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In the matter of the application of the City of Rochester to acquire lands for park purposes; argued.

Charlos Ande son agt, Walter S. Carr and another in the matter of the contempt proceedings against Metropolitan Museum of Art, appellant; argued.

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Charlos Ande Son against Metropolitan Museum of Art, appellant; argued.

In the The sait has been pendfing since February 12 1886. Davidson was an ex-Sheriff at that time, and was

harged with converting to his own use large amounts of money which he had received in his official capacity. His place was said to be worth \$60,000 a year to A number of suits were brought against blin to recover, and judgments were entered which were returned unsatisfied. Indictments were also found direct directions. The was aftered on one and negatived.

He field to New-Jersey to escape his judgment creditors, and in March, 1891, he was arrested in Havana. Assistant District Atterney Nicoll, on examination, found that Davidson was not subject to exhibition, the was afterward heard from in Vera

Tradition. He was afterward heard from in Vera traction, found that Davidson was not same in Vera well, Cornellus Separas.

Traction. He was afterward heard from in Vera Choppen.

Common Picas-General Term-Adjourned until Feb. lying in California. Davidson charged that Aarons ruary 6. Common Pieus-Special Term-Before Daly, C. L. Asing in California. Davis of the moneys and was responsible for his Motions. Common Picas-Equity Term-Adjourned until Febru. difficulties, although it was generally believed that ary 6 th were culpable.

th were culpuble.

Judge Barrett yesterday issued a commission to journed for the term. Parts 1, II and III-Adjourned for the term. Superior Court-General Term-Adjourned until Februs Superior Court—General Term—Adjourned until Pebrunew P. Mack, of Independence, Cal., to take
Davidson's testimony. Cockrin & Clark me his
attorneys. They wish for his testimony, as they
say that his presence cannot be had at the trial.
Anothe has been examined as an adverse party as
to his connection with the france.

Superior Court—Equity Term—Adjourned for the term,
superior Court—Equity Term—Adjourned for the term,
or the term.

Superior Court—Trial Term—Part III—Before Meadin,
Superior Court—Trial Term—Part III—Before Meadin,

SURROGATE RANSOM IN NEW QUARTERS,

The Trial Term of the Surrogate's Court was held ir the first time in its new quarters in the basement parament has been thoroughly r novated, and speal pains have been taken to make it as light and healthful as possible. There was a suggestive smell of paint and a general "brand new" appearance.

Inclusive.

Lourt of General Sessions—Part III—Refere Fitzgerid,

Lourt of General Sessions—Part III—Refere Fi surrogate Ransom said the new quarters would do for time, but that he hoped to get better when the new Municipal Building was put up. "Tell the people said, "That they will find us In the basement," The opening of the new room was made necessary by the presente of business, sittings will now be held amuntaneously in the old room in the County Court House and in the new room.

DECIDED AGAINST W. & J. SLOANE.

Judge Ingraham yesterday gave an opinion in the ction of W. & J. Sloane, the carpet dealers, to have be assessment of the tax commissioners on their proprty for 1 502 set aside. The gross assets were 87,974,tate the balance remaining was \$501,631, anon which the owner of the yacht, and a party of friends were the tax commissioners assessed. The company alleged that property consisting of stocks, United alleged that property consisting of stocks, United New-York, and on account of n dense log had anchored New-York, and on account of n dense log had anchored the company of the party of non-more than the company of the party of the party of friends were on beard at the time. The Alva was on her way to new-York, and on account of n dense log had anchored the company of the party of friends were on beard at the time. states securities and imported goods unopened had

BITS OF LEGAL NEWS.

Judge Barrett yesterday appointed William P. Chambers eferce in proceedings for a voluntary dissolution of the Embossed Lumber Fibre Company, Judge Dugro, of the Supreme Court, has appointed

Eugene E. Tichenor receiver of the Manhattan Lithoruphing Company in proceedings for a voluntary dissolu-ion, and the stay of proceedings obtained by the creditors lanuary 9 is vacated. The bond of the receiver is

Louisa Lyons, who died October 17, 1892, leaving an estate valued at about \$200,000, were withdrawn when the case came up for trial in the Surrogate's Court yesthe case and the state of the s

ther. The will was admitted to probate, Judge Parrett heard argument yesterlay on a motion set aside as insufficient a verdict of \$5,000 obtained by Jisper E. Corning for injuries received May 4, 1891, when he was knocked down by a car of the Broadway and eventh Avenue Railroad Company. Further argument

sidewalk which would interfere with the entrance the lunch-room of Charles A. Gorford. Simon sterms has begun a suit against the city to re-over \$14,000 for professional services performed on a

tainer of the Corporation Counsel in actions against scott Lord has filed a claim of \$1,000 against the city r injuries received in falling on a defective sidewall. Judge Earr tt, of the Supreme Court, was asked yesterday strike out part of Mrs. Franke Leslie-Wiltle's answer in

the suit brought against her by Charles U. Wing to recover \$4,700, a balance alleged to be due on a diamon secklare which she purchased in 1889. The price of the secklare was \$5,400. She paid \$700, and alleges that she agreed to pay the remainder in advertising, CASES ARGUED IN THE COURT OF APPEALS.

Albany, Jan. 30.- In the Court of Appeals to day these motions were heard: Charles Kibley, as administrator, etc., and another, appellants, agt. Levi T. Miller and others; motion for order under section 1,29s of the Code of Civil Pro-

cedure.

Catherine Mengan, as administratrix, etc., appellant, agt. the New-York Central and Hudson Rever Railroad Company; motion for leave to go back for new trial; argued.

The People ex rel. Joseph Cauffman and others, The People ex rel. Joseph Cauffman and others

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agt. J. Van Buren and another, appellants; motion for reargument; submitted.

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These appears from orders were argued;
In the matter of the application of Frederick Wood for peremptory writ of mandamus; argued.

In the matter of opening, etc., of Brownellst. in the village of Edgewiter; argued.

S. P. Tyck agt. Henry Amy, impleaded, etc., appellant; appeal dismissed under rule 15, without costs. costs, William M. Nelson, appellant, agt. F. Bleckwein,

trensorer, etc.; argued.

In the matter of the estate of Catherine L. Wolfe, deceased, against rector of Grace Church, appellant; as

COURT CALENDARS FOR TO-DAY. Supremo Court-General Term-Rocess continued. Supreme Court-Chambers-Before Barrett, J.-Motion calendar called at 11 o'clock. Supreme Court-Special Term-Part I-Adjourned for the

term.
Supreme Court-Special Term-Part II-Before Trust,
Supreme Court-Special Term-Part II-Before Trust,
J.-50s. 1835, 1836, 2273, 1290, 1291, 2296, 764, 2954,
2007, 606, 1330, 146, 138, 2122, 1387, 1544, 1544, 1532,
1830, 2652, 2668, 2121, 1488,
Circuit Court-Part II-Adjourned until te-morrow,
Circuit Court-Parts II, 111 and IV-Adjourned for the

J.-No. 1406.
(By Court.-General Term-Adjourned for the term.
(By Court.-Special Term-Parts I, II, III and IV-Adjourned for the term.
(Light Yourt-Trial Term-Parts I, II, III and IV-Adjourned for the term.
(Court of General Sessions-Part I-Before Smyth R.,
and Assistant District-Alterneys Wellman and Osborne-Nos. I to 6. inclusive.

Court of General Sessions Part II Before Martine, J.,
and Assistant District Attorney Mactons—Nos. 1 to 12,
inclusive.

CAPTAIN MORRISON'S LICENSE RESTORED.

George H. Starbuck, supervising inspector of steam decision in the matter of the appeal of Henry Morrison, sailing master of the yaent Alva, from the decision of the local inspector at Boston. Captain Starbuck in his opinion restores to Captain Morrison nis license, and calls the action of the local inspectors at Boston "illegal."

The Aiva, one of the largest and most expensive steam yachts in the world, was run into and sunk by the steamship H. F. Dimock, bound from New-York to Boston, last summer. W. K. Vanderbilt, on beard at the time. The Alva was on her way to off the Pollock Rip light vessel, outside of Mor been taxed wrongfully, and that after deducting these items there would be no balance subject to taxation.

Judge Ingraham decided that the taxes must be paid.

of the supervising inspector might lead one to support the species of the supervising inspector might lead one to support the species. Point. She was not in Vineyard Sound, as the decision pose, but was in a passage leading through the shouls outside of Cape Cod.

THE PUERST BISMARCK'S STORMY VOYAGE.

The Hamburg-American steamship Fuerst Bismarck came into port vesterday, after a stormy passage acress the North Atlantic. From Southampton to Sable Island the great ship fought her way against a saccession of westerly gales and heavy head seas. January 26 she plunged through great seas, which were stirred up by a northwest gale. The passengers were not allowed on deck that day. came curing over the bow, and, thundering down on dock, broke in the woodwork right and left-injury to the vessel was slight, but the way tremendous ope.

NOT ANXIOUS ABOUT THE CITY OF PEKING. At the office of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company in this city yesterday it was said that the steamship City of Peking was not considered overdue, was only making a long winter voyage. The Chy of Peking was reported in the harbor of Yelcohama on January 10. She was expected to sail from there on January 15. If she did sail on that date she is making an exceedingly long trip of it. The City of Juige Patterson yesterday granted an injunction re- Peking is commanded by Captain Scarie. She is a carring the Manhattan Life Insurance Company from the Globe Building, Nos. 61 and 66 Broad-leavy, extending to New-st., and from creeting guards on The officers of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company say they have no doubt but that she will arrive saf by in San Francisco. On the Maritime Exchange yester. day it was thought that she had broken a shaft. No

> JOHN HUNTINGTON'S BODY SENT TO CLEVELAND. The body of John Huntington, of Cleveland, Ohio, who died recently in London, arrived here yesterday on the steamship Etruria. Mrs. Huntington was a passenger on the same vessel. The members of the dead man's family were at the Canard pier when the vessel arrived there. The body was taken in charge by an undertaker and shipped on to Cleveland.

ATTACHMENTS AGAINST BUSINESS MEN. Two attachments, aggregating \$3,400, have been

obtained by Elumerstiel & Hirsch against William Ghormley, dressmaker, of No. 535 Firth ave., who sold out to his wife, in favor of Frank Debenhan. The sheriff has received another a tachment against

Lorenz Welher, the builder, who went to Earch on January 17, for \$2,001 in favor of Enoch Richter, and a its pendens has been filed on the property Nos. 399 and 401 St. Nicholas ave.
An attachment for 8057 has been obtained in this city against Sylvanus C. Spalding, of Alaska, in favor of Thomas M. Bartlett, as administrator of the estate

of Benjamin Litchfield, for Mr. Spalding's share of liabilities incurred by the master of the bars Frederick P. Litchneid, in which Mr. Spelling owned

6.64 interest.

The schedules of Thomas Fell, doing business at Fell & Van Ness, dealers in furniture at Fl ty secondst, and Third-ave., show liabilities of \$27,685, rominal assets, \$12,255; actual assets, \$8,127.

TO MANUFACTURE MOWERS IN CHICAGO. Chicago, Jan. 30.-President A. L. Conger, of the Whitman & Barnes Company, who is in Chicago with his associates-T. C. Alden and C. E. Sheldon-said tohis associates—T. C. Aiden and C. E. Sneuori said day: "We are coming to Chicago to erect the largest plant in the world for the manufacture of movers and binders, as well as some additional lines of agricultural implements. Freights cut quite a figure in the business, and we have concluded to leave our Eastern factories to take care of our Eastern and foreign ern factories to take care of our Eastern and foreign trade. As soon as we decide upon a site here we shall proceed at once with the crection of the plant."

Low rate excursions to Montreal via New-York Central, during Carnival week, February 6 to 11. . .